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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Stephanie R. Johnson

Sir:

Pursuant to Rule 1.136, please extend the period for response to the Office Action mailed September 10, 2002, for a period of four (4) months, up to and including February 10, 2003. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the required fee of \$930.00 for a three month extension of time to Deposit Account No. <u>08-0219</u>. The fee for a one month extension of time was authorized to be paid with the paper filed on October 24, 2002. No additional fees are believed to be required for this paper to be timely filed. However, if the amount is incorrect, please credit any excess or charge any further amount due to Deposit Account No. 08-0219.